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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION. 1 25# 2 **COMMISSIONERS** 7001 MAY 23 A 8: 46 3 JEFF HATCH-MILLER, Chairman WILLIAM A. MUNDELL AZ CORP COMMISSION 4 MIKE GLEASON DOCKET CONTROL KRISTIN K. MAYES 5 **BARRY WONG** 6 DOCKET NO. S-20484A-06-0669 IN THE MATTER OF: 7 AGRA-TECHNOLOGIES, INC. (a/k/a ATI), a Nevada corporation, 8 5800 North Dodge Avenue, Bldg. A Flagstaff, Arizona 86004-2963; WILLIAM JAY PIERSON (a/k/a BILL PIERSON) 10 and SANDRA LEE PIERSON (a/k/a SANDY PIERSON), husband and wife, 11 6710 Lvnx Lane Flagstaff, Arizona 86004-1404: 12 RICHARD ALLEN CAMPBELL (a/k/a DICK CAMPBELL), and SONDRA JANE CAMPBELL, 13 husband and wife. 8686 West Morten Avenue 14 Glendale, Arizona 85305-3940; 15 WILLILAM H BAKER, JR. (a/k/a BILL BAKER), and PATRICIA M. BAKER, husband and wife, 16 3027 N. Alta Vista Arizona Corporation Commission Flagstaff, Arizona 86004; 17 DOCKETED JERRY J. HODGES, 18 MAY 23 2007 and JANE DOE HODGES. husband and wife. 19 **DOCKETED BY** 1858 Gunlock Court Saint George, Utah 84790-6705; 20 LAWRENCE KEVIN PAILLE (a/k/a LARRY 21 PAILLE), and JANE DOE PAILLE. husband and wife, 22 220 Pinon Woods Drive Sedona, Arizona 86351-6902 23 Respondents. FIFTH 24 PROCEDURAL ORDER 25 BY THE COMMISSION: 26 On October 18, 2006, the Securities Division ("Division") of the Arizona Corporation 27 Commission ("Commission") filed a Notice of Opportunity of Hearing ("Notice") against Agra-28 Technologies, Inc. ("ATI"), William Jay and Sandra Lee Pierson, husband and wife, Richard Allen

and Sondra Jane Campbell, husband and wife, William H. and Patricia M. Baker, husband and wife, and Jerry J. and Jane Doe Hodges, husband and wife, and Lawrence K. and Jan Doe Paille, husband and wife, (collectively "Respondents"), in which the Division alleged multiple violations of the Arizona Securities Act ("Act") in connection with the offer and sale of stock and investment contracts.

Respondents were duly served with copies of the Notice.

On November 3, 2006, AGI, William Jay and Sandra Lee Pierson and William H. and Patricia M. Baker filed a request for a hearing.

On November 8, 2006, Jerry J. and Jane Doe Hodges and Lawrence K. and Jane Doe Paille, filed a request for a hearing.

On November 20, 2006, by Procedural Order, a pre-hearing conference was scheduled for December 20, 2006.

On November 27, 2006, Richard A. and Sondra J. Campbell filed a request for hearing.

On December 20, 2006, the Division and Respondents appeared with counsel. The parties discussed a possible resolution of the issues and certain concerns with respect to discovery. The parties agreed to another pre-hearing conference being scheduled in late January. By Procedural Order, another pre-hearing conference was scheduled for January 29, 1007.

On January 24, 2007, the AIT, Pierson and Baker Respondents filed a Motion to Set Evidentiary Hearing.

On January 25, 2007, the Division filed what was captioned, "Securities Division's Motion For Ruling on Allegedly Inadvertently Produced Privileged Documents by Respondents ATI, Baker and Pierson" which their counsel earlier had argued were privileged.

On January 29, 2007, the Division and Respondents appeared through counsel. The parties were continuing to resolve certain issues in the proceeding to reach a possible settlement. However, the Division's counsel indicated that, if a hearing is required, it may require approximately two weeks of hearing time and more time needed for discovery. The pre-hearing conference was recessed pending ruling on motions which had been filed or were to be filed by the Division and the ATI, Pierson and Baker Respondents.

On February 6, 2007, the Division filed its response to the ATI, Pierson and Baker 1 Respondents' Motion to Set Evidentiary Hearing citing numerous cases and discussing the 2 application A.A.C. R14-4-307. 3 On February 20, 2007, the ATI, Pierson and Baker Respondents filed their response to the 4 Division's Motion filed on January 25, 2007, and also filed a reply to the Division's response to the 5 ATI, Pierson and Baker Motion to set a hearing. 6 On March 7, 2007, the Division filed its reply to the ATI, Pierson and Baker response. The 7 Division also cited numerous cases in support of its arguments with respect to the documents 8 discussed in its January 25, 2007 Motion. 9 On April 3, 2007, by Procedural Order, the Division's Motion filed on January 25, 2007, was 10 granted and the Motion of ATI, the Baker and Pierson Respondents denied. Further, a status 11 conference was scheduled on May 17, 2007. 12 On May 17, 2007, the Division and Respondents appeared through counsel at the status 13 conference where their respective positions were discussed and they further agreed that a hearing 14 15 should be scheduled to commence on October 15, 2007. 16 Accordingly, a hearing should be scheduled. IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that a hearing shall be held on October 15, 2007, at 10:00 17 a.m., at the Commission's offices, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona. 18 19 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the parties shall also reserve October 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 20 25, 29, 30, 31, and November 1, 5, 6, 7, and 8, 2007, for additional days of hearing, if necessary. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Division and Respondents shall exchange copies of 21 their Witness Lists and copies of their intended Exhibits to be introduced at the hearing by September 22 23 17, 2007. 24 . . . 25 26 27

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Division and Respondents shall provide courtesy copies 1 of their Witness Lists and Exhibits to the presiding Administrative Law Judge on the date specified 2 3 above. day of May, 2007. 4 5 6 7 MARC E. STERN ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE 8 9 Copies of the foregoing mailed/delivered this 23rd day of May, 2007 to: 10 Lonnie J. Williams, Jr. 11 Carrie M. Francis QUARLES & BRADY STEICH LANG, LLP 12 Renaissance One Two North Central Avenue 13 Phoenix, Arizona 85004-2391 Attorneys for Agra-Technologies, Inc.; William Jay 14 and Sandra Lee Pierson; and William H. and Patricia M. Baker 15 Geoffrey S. Kercsmar THE KÉRCSMAR LAW FIRM 16 3260 North. Hayden Road, Suite 204 Scottsdale, AZ 85251 17 Attorneys for Jerry Hodges and Lawrence K. Paille 18 Peter Strojnik THE LAW FIRM OF PETER STROJNIK 19 3030 North. Central Avenue, Suite 1401 Phoenix, AZ 85012 20 Attorneys for Richard and Sondra Campbell 21 Matt Neubert, Director Securities Division 22 ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION 1200 West Washington Street 23 Phoenix, AZ 85007 24 ARIZONA REPORTING SERVICE, INC. 2627 North Third Street, Suite Three Phoenix, Arizona 85004-1126 26 27 By:

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